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1) An important holiday to Muslims is Milad un Nabi which is the birthday of the Prophet Muhammad. 2) On this day parents tell the story of Muhammad and his great teachings to their children. 3) This day is important because it is regarded as a great blessing for the whole of humanity. 4) On Milad un Nabi there is a public gathering of all Muslims to make speeches about the life of the Prophet. 5) These speeches include his birth, childhood, youth and adult life. 6) The most important topics though are Muhammad’s teachings, suffering, and how he forgave everyone. 7) In addition to the speeches songs of praise are song and donations to charity are encouraged. 8) Milad un Nabi is a time of remembrance and thankfulness.

1) Muslims follow some simple rites when a baby is born. 2) Muslims believe that Adhaan, “God is great; there is no God but Allah. Muhammad is the messenger of Allah. 3) Come to prayer” is the first spoken words a baby should hear, whispered in its right ear by its father. 4) The first thing a baby should taste is a sweet date, this is believed to jump start their digestive system and was a tradition of Muhammad. 5)On the seventh day after the baby’s birth its head is shaved to signify that the child is a servant to Allah. 6)The cut hair is weighed and the family then donates the same weight in silver the charity. 7)Muslim boys are normally circumcised on their seventh day. 8)Finally on the seventh day the aqeeqah is carried out. 9)This is a traditional slaughter of sheep that is sacrificed and then distributed to relatives, neighbors and the poor. 10)These are the traditions for babies in Islam.